

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

V.

STEVEN PIPER

(list each defendant appearing at hearing)

) Case No.: 3:22-CR-340

) Judge: Waverly D. Crenshaw, Jr.

) Hearing Date: 6/6/2025

) Location: ☒ Nashville ☐ Columbia ☐ Cookeville

) Court Reporter: LISE MATTHEWS

) Court Interpreter:

**CRIMINAL MINUTES**

Government Attorney(s): KATHRYN BOOTH, CHRISTOPHER SUEDEKUM,

Defense Attorney(s): PAUL BRUNO, JODIE BELL

**TRIAL PROCEEDINGS**

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| 1. Jury Trial*                             | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. Non-Jury Trial*                         | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. Sentencing Hearing Contested*           | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. Supervised Release Hearing-Contested*   | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5. Probation Revocation Hearing-Contested* | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6. Other Evidentiary Hearing*              | <input type="checkbox"/> |

(Describe #6 in comments section below)

*\*For items 1-6, a Witness/Exhibit List is required and must be separately filed.*

JURORS (complete on day 1 only):

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**NON-TRIAL PROCEEDINGS**

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| 7. Initial Appearance/Arraignment         | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| 8. Plea Hearing                           | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 9. Sentencing Hearing                     | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| 10. Status conference                     | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| 11. Pretrial Conference                   | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| 12. Supervised Release Revocation Hearing | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| 13. Probation Revocation Hearing          | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| 14. Motion Hearing                        | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| 15. Other Proceeding                      | <input type="checkbox"/>            |

(Describe #15 in comments section below)

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COMMENTS:

- Defendant entered a plea of guilty to Count One through Twelve, Fifteen and Nineteen through Twenty-One of the Indictment.
- Statement of Facts were admitted into the record.
- Sentencing set for December 12, 2025, at 9:00 a.m.
- Parties requested plea documents and transcript to be sealed. Motion granted to seal.
- Order to enter.

Total Time in Court: 28 minutes

Clerk of Court

by: Melissa Seay